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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Lester F. Ludwig, et al.

Serial No.: 09/072,549

Examiner: Dinh, D.

Filed: May 5, 1998

Art Unit: 2756

For: MULTIPLEXING VIDEO AND CONTROL SIGNALS ONTO UTP

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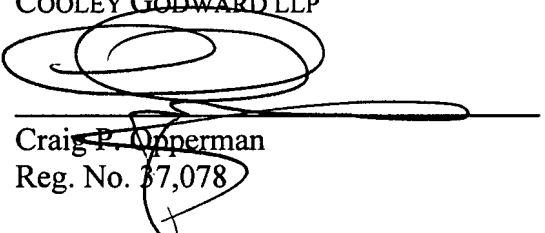
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Applicant hereby submits this Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with 37 CFR 1.98 and pursuant to Applicant's continuing duty under 37 CFR 1.56 to bring any information which may be material to patentability of this application to the Examiner's attention.

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The subject application is believed patentable over any of the above references.

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